Law, Policy and Science in

Environmental Peacebuilding Training

Geneva 29 Sep. to 3 Oct. 2025

Deadline for application: 15 June 2025 at 12:00 pm CEST

In the last decade, environmental peacebuilding has emerged as a multidisciplinary approach that recognizes the crucial role of the environment and natural resources throughout the conflict life-cycle.

This course aims to address the theoretical foundations, legal frameworks, and challenges associated with environmental peacebuilding, taking into account recent developments.

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Course objectives

- Understand and explain how natural resources and the environment can influence armed conflicts and vice-versa;
- Assess the various components of peacebuilding, including the environmental dimensions in conflict and post-conflict situations;
- Evaluate the legal frameworks relevant to environmental peacebuilding; and;
- Identify and discuss the challenges and opportunities encountered in environmental peacebuilding.



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Access to an Alumni network

All participants in our training course have access to the alumni network of the Geneva Water Hub with dedicated online and in-person events.

Audience

This training course is designed for professionals engaged in various sectors such as military, law enforcement, diplomacy, NGOs, and international organisations, with a keen interest in humanitarian, peace, and development initiatives.

Certification

Succesful participants will receive a certificate of participation.

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Methodology

This interactive training course includes a preparatory online session, combination of lectures, panel discussions, case studies and group activities. Sessions are designed to enhance substantive and practical knowledge exchange with peers and facilitators.

Through this methodology, participants will gain an understanding of the conceptual, legal frameworks and strategies necessary for effective environmental peacebuilding.

Tuition Fee

The tuition fee is 1,500 CHF. However, full scholarships (covering travel, accommodation, and tuition) and partial scholarships (covering accommodation and tuition) are available and will be granted on a case-by-case basis upon a rigorous analysis.

Application

Applications must be submitted via this online application form:

https://formulaire.unige.ch/outils/limesurvey3/ind ex.php/582574?lang=en

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